DOCKET NO: 250084US28

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF

KEIICHI SATOH, ET AL.

: EXAMINER: YAN, REN LUO

SERIAL NO: 10/796,194

FILED: MARCH 10, 2004

: GROUP ART UNIT: 2854

FOR: BULK PAPER FEEDING DEVICE WITH INTERMEDIATE CONVEYOR FOR

IMAGE FORMING DEVICE

PETITION FOR CORRECTION OF INVENTORSHIP UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.48(B)

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS. ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

The correct inventors were named in the application when filed. By virtue of the restriction requirement electing Group I (Claims 1-9), less than all of the originally named inventors are the actual inventors of the invention presently being claimed. Specifically, the inventions of Mr. Takenobu KAMATA, Mr. Hitoshi KIMURA and Mr. Masakazu FUJITA are no longer being claimed in the application, and so it is respectfully requested that their names be deleted as inventors. The petition fee set forth in 37 CFR §1.17(i) is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

07/03/2007 NBELETE1 00000049 10796194

01 FC:1464

130.00 OP

OBLON, SPIVAK, McCLELLAND,

MAIER & NEUSTADT, P.C.

Customer Number

22850

Tel: (703) 413-3000 Fax: (703) 413 -2220

(OSMMN 06/04) I:\ATTY\JW\250084us\PETITION 1.48(B).DOC James J. Kulbaski

Attorney of Record

Registration No. 34,648

Joseph Wrkich

Registration No. 53,796